

Senate Resolution 750

By: Senators Jackson of the 2nd and Johnson of the 1st

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mr. Daniel P. Snope for his outstanding contributions to
2 education; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Daniel P. Snope, an educator at Savannah Arts Academy, is widely
4 recognized throughout his community and this state as the personification of excellence in
5 education; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Snope earned a bachelor's degree in professional aeronautics from Embry
7 Riddle Aeronautical University and a master's degree in education from Armstrong Atlantic
8 State University; and

9 WHEREAS, he served as a guardian of this nation's freedom and liberty in the United States
10 Coast Guard and the United States Army, earning two Lifesaving Awards and three
11 Meritorious Service medals; and

12 WHEREAS, Mr. Snope began his career in education in 2004 at Savannah Arts Academy
13 where he continues to challenge young minds and inspire students as a mathematics
14 instructor; and

15 WHEREAS, he is actively involved in promoting and uplifting the field of education, as
16 evidenced by his lifetime membership in the Georgia Council of Teachers of Mathematics
17 and the NightStalker Association and by his membership with the National Council of
18 Teachers of Mathematics, the American Federation of Teachers, and the Georgia Association
19 of Advanced Placement Mathematics Teachers; and

20 WHEREAS, in recognition of his outstanding dedication to academic achievement, Mr.
21 Snope has been named a 2010 Teacher of the Year by the Georgia Department of Education;
22 and

23 WHEREAS, nothing is more vital to the future of our state than the education of our young
24 people, and Mr. Snope has, during his teaching career, exemplified the selfless dedication
25 and professionalism which are characteristic of our finest educators; and

26 WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this body join in expressing appreciation to Mr. Snope for
27 his outstanding efforts and accomplishments in education.

28 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
29 commend Mr. Daniel P. Snope for his sacrifice, foresight, accomplishments, and
30 contributions on behalf of education in Georgia, recognize him for the positive influence he
31 has had upon the lives and futures of countless young people in this state, and extend
32 congratulations upon his selection as a 2010 Teacher of the Year.

33 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
34 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Daniel P. Snope.